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Defense Travel System



Agenda



- Background
- DTS Roles
- Travel Service Contract Consolidation
- CTO Implementation Training
- Fielding Status
- DTS CBA RECON Status



Defense Travel System Vision



A seamless, paperless, temporary duty travel system that meets the needs of travelers, commanders, and process owners. It must reduce costs, support mission requirements, and provide superior

CUSTOMER SERVICE.

ORDERS → APPROVAL → CLAIMS → PAYMENT



DTS Rumors



- DTS is <u>NOT</u> doing away with the commercial travel office (CTO) or the transportation officer (TO)
- DTS <u>IS</u> automating routine functions
 - Let the CTO and TO manage the exceptions



Role of the CTO



- Limited quality control of travel reservations
- Assistance when DTS does not autobook
- Assistance with complex trips
- Leisure in conjunction with official travel
- Issue tickets
- Assist with CBA reconciliation
- Enroute assistance



CTO Tasks



DTS Traditional

- CTO contacted to book air, car, lodging, bus, rail
- Confirms bookings in GDS or contacts travel suppliers directly
- Performs quality control
- Issues tickets
- Performs CBA reconciliation
- Provides 24 hour enroute support
- Provides management information reports
- Provide leisure in conjunction with official travel

DTS-Touch

- CTO receives completed electronic reservation - needs change by agent
- Performs quality control - alerts traveler of problem
- Issues tickets
- Provides 24 enroute support
- Provide leisure in conjunction with official travel

DTS

- CTO receives completed electronic reservation
- Performs quality control
- Issues tickets
- Provides 24 hour enroute support
- Provides leisure in conjunction with official travel

<u>Fee For Service</u> \$5.00 = DTS vs \$16.00 = traditional Optional Service
Priced Separately
Satellite Ticket Printer
Staffing
Ticket Delivery



Role of the TO



- Travel policy subject matter expert for the Commander
- CBA reconciliation
- Process group travel requests
- Quality Assurance Evaluator (QAE)





Travel Service Contract Consolidation



Current CTO Contract Structure



Army - 5 contracts/5 regions CONUS 2 European contracts

- Navy One contract with 2 line items, East/West CONUS/OCONUS under one contract
- **Air Force Approximately 34 contracts CONUS, 7 contracts OCONUS**
- Marines 6 contracts CONUS/1 contract OCONUS
- **Defense Agencies Approximately 29 contracts/tas**
- DFAS/PMO-DTS 1 contract/one region (DTR 6)

 1 Korean contract



Travel Service Contracts



DTR 6

- Firm fixed price GSA schedule
- Approximately \$2.3M annual value
- Supports the states of IL, IN, IA, MI, MN, ND, SD, KY, MO, NE, and WI
- Services will be provided for Air Force and Defense Agency locations in all 11 states, and Army locations in 8 of the 11 states, (excluding KY, MO, and NE) and become effective 29 Nov 04



Travel Service Contracts



- Korea Contract (Army) transitioned to PMO-DTS in Aug 04
 - 11 sites
 - 27.9 M annual value/firm fixed price



Small Business Solicitation

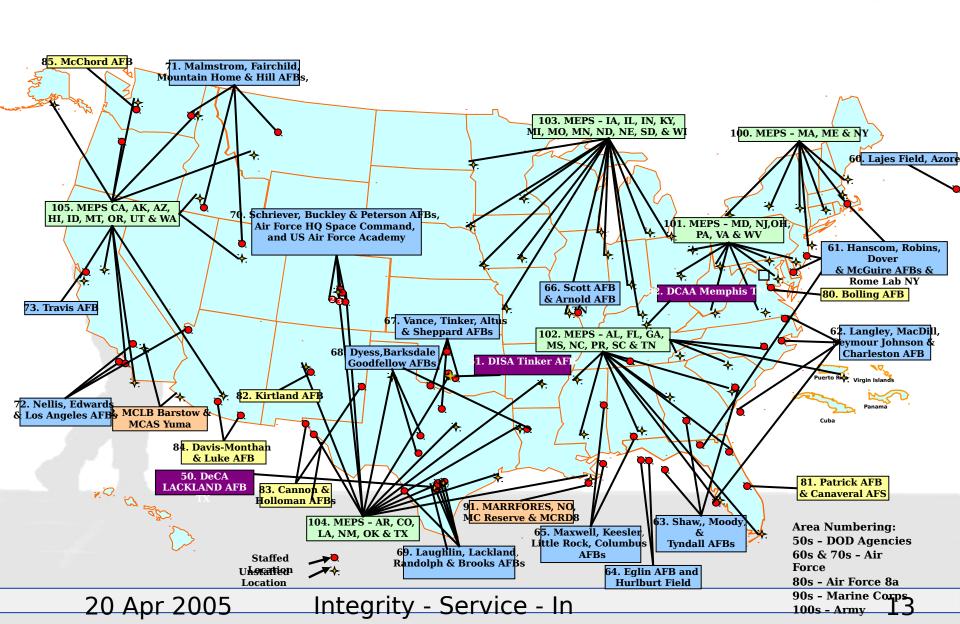


- 130 sites with approximately \$90M annual value
 - 31 Travel Areas
 - 68 Army Sites Military Entrance Processing Stations- (MEPS)
 - > 54 Air Force Sites
 - 3 USMC Sites
 - 3 DOD Agencies
 - Grouped by Service Air Force/MEPS/DOD Agencies
 - Firm fixed price/transaction fee based
 - Increased small business participation from 6% to 12%
 - Implementation pending based on expiration of current contracts



Small Business Travel Areas







CTO Acquisition - Small Business Set-



Aside

Current Status -

31 DTS Small Business Travel Areas

- 6 Military Entrance Processing Stations (MEPS) All 6 MEPS Travel Are
- 25 Non-MEPS Travel Areas 8 Non-MEPS Travel Areas Awarded
 - Travel Area 91 Awardee = Ravenel Travel
 - MARFORES, LA.
 - Travel Area 92 Awardee = Knowledge Connections
 - Yuma AZ
 - Barstow CA



CTO Acquisition - Small Business Set-



Aside

- Future Plans
 - Award Remaining Non-MEPS Travel Areas
 - Develop CTO Implementation Schedule
 - Coordinate Implementation Schedule with Operations
 - Develop Implementation Training Plan and Dates
 - Designation of Contracting Officer Representative and Quality Assurance Evaluators
 - Issues
 - Resolve Protests



Full & Open Solicitation



- Approximately 11,000 sites and activities
- Approximately \$380M annual value
- Indefinite Delivery Indefinite Quantity (IDIQ) contract
- Awarded by task orders with subcontracting to small businesses
 - Working with services to define travel areas



CTO Acquisition - Full & Open



Solicitation

- Current Status
 - CBD Announcement June 04
 - Draft RFP Released Oct 04
 - DRFP Vendor Conference 29 Oct 04
 - Final RFP Released 19 Nov 04
 - Protest from Carlson/Wagonlit 10 Dec 04
 - GAO Protest Decision 07 Mar 05
 - Amended RFP to include Sample Task 03 Mar 05
 - Questions received related to Amended RFP 10
 Mar 05
 - Revised RFP based on Questions 31 Mar 05
 - Revised Proposal Due Date Apr 05



Full and Open Solicitation (continued)



- Future Plans
 - Proposals Due April 05
 - Award ID/IQ Contracts May 05
 - Obtain Service/Agency Approval of Travel Areas
 - Begin Awarding Task Orders July 05
 - Develop CTO Implementation Schedule
 - Coordinate CTO Implementation Schedule with Operations
 - Develop Implementation Training Plan and Dates
 - Designation of Contracting Officer
 Representative and Quality Assurance
 Evaluators
- Begin Task Order Implementation September 05



CTO Implementation Training



- Purpose
 - DTS Background and Management Structure
 - DTS Demonstration
 - Quality Assurance Plan Training
 - Contract Requirements
 - CBA Reconciliation Process
- Who should attend?
 - CTOs
 - Transportation Office personnel



CTO Implementation Training



- When is the training?
 - Training will be after award of the contract and prior to CTO service start date
- Where will the training be held?
 - TBD





Fielding Status



Program Status: Fielded Sites



As of 29 March 2005

	Fielded Sites				Phase I/II
Service/Agency				Total	PMO FOC
	Phase I*	Phase II	Phase III **		Target
Army	5	39	1960	2004	86
Air Force	11	27	443	481	79
Navy	4	20	1563	1587	55
Marine Corps	2	9	4	15	23
Defense Agencies	17	10	339	366	29
Total (approx)	39	105	4309	4453	272

- * 39 Phase I sites correspond to 31 Fielded Activities; Fielded Activities represent a group of sites fielded under a single effort
- ** Phase III sites based on numbers reported by Services/Agencies on 9 AUG 04 to the IIPT with the exception of:
 - Defense Agencies Phase III site numbers compiled and reported by Dina Achtzener on 24 FEB 05
 - US Navy Phase III site numbers compiled and reported by Cheryl Stevens on 25
 - 25 Xor 2005 III site numbers compiled and reported by Will Scott on 14 FEB



FY05 and FY06 Site Fielding



- Some Phase II sites slipped from FY 05 to FY 06
 - Still on track for end of FY 06
- PMO developing regional approach for FY 06
 - Optimize travel costs
 - Being coordinated with Service Travel Reengineering offices





DTS CBA RECON Status



DTS CBA Status



- ATEC completed initial assessment Jan 05
 - Recommended additional enhancements to the module
- CBA3 will be fielded to existing pilot sites -Apr 05
- ATEC will conduct a follow-on reassessment and issue report of findings to the PMO
- Report due approximately Sep 05
- Outcome of report--module will be approved for additional fielding- Fall 05
- Fielding will be determined by the Service/Agency DTS leads.



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